

# DIDSBURY PIONEER

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## MANY FINE VALUES IN HOLIDAY GIFTS

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### AROUND THE TOWN

J. E. Stauffer left for Edmonton Tuesday evening on business.

F. S. Krempein was a business visitor at Calgary Tuesday.

Christmas Service will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening next. Special music is being prepared.

Miss Lola Norton who has been touring the western coast arrived here Friday and is now visiting her sister Mrs. Jas. Schmelke.

Rev. D. H. Marshall spent a few days in Calgary last week attending a meeting of the Presbytery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams left on Tuesday last for a visit to their son in Mich., and intend visiting points in Ontario before their return to the west.

Don't Miss the R. C. Oldham auction sale on December 28th. A choice bunch of stock to choose from. (No reserve), everything goes.

Providing the weather continues the same as what it has for the last two or three days, there will be skating for everybody at the Didsbury skating rink by the end of the week.

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Mrs. A. G. Studer was the hostess at a very enjoyable thin-ble tea on Monday afternoon last given in honor of Mrs. A. E. Welch of Sunnyslope, a former resident of Didsbury, and who is now visiting friends in the neighborhood.

E. G. Grant who was Vice-Principal in the Didsbury High school last term received an appointment as Vice-Principal of one of the Calgary schools last week. Mr. Grant has been teaching in the Calgary schools since the beginning of this term.

The special services which have been continued in the Mennonite church for three weeks were closed on Sunday night last, the meetings being well attended all through. The Sunday school convention on the 10th and the ministerial convention on the 11th were very interesting, and the conference which was held on Friday and Saturday went off nicely.

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Mr. L. C. Coffey principal of Penhold public schools and Mr. Percy Johnson of Union Bank of Penhold were visitors in Didsbury over the week end.

The last council meeting of this year of the Rural Municipality of Mountain View No. 310 will be held on Saturday, December 20th at J. E. Stauffer's office.

Miss Verdella Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Miller of Didsbury, was married to Mr. Royal O. Sherrick at the home of the bride, on Wednesday, December 10th, 1913, by Rev. H. Goudie. The newly married couple left for Ontario on the same evening.

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## Highland News

Almon Foster and family have gone  
back to Michigan for a short stay, as  
Mr. Foster's father is very low with  
heart trouble and has been confined  
to his bed for several weeks.

Al Barkhurst and family are back  
again, on their homestead, after a few  
months vacation in California.

The settlers of Highland are going  
to begin building their schoolhouse  
soon, as they are supposed to have it  
completed by the first of the year.

Morgan Severson and Harvey Mc-  
Knight took a load each of chickens  
into town last week for Mr. Foster who  
is leaving for Michigan.

Albert Olsen has gone back to Wis-  
consin to attend the funeral of his  
brother Alvin, whose death was caused  
by injuries received from lumber  
falling on him while working for J. T.  
Johannesson, last winter.

The Great West lumber camps have  
began work again.

Last week some one at J. T. Johan-  
nesson's camp discovered a bear's track  
near the buildings. He ran back into  
the bunk house and gave the alarm;  
everyone armed himself with whatever  
weapon he could find and they all  
started out after Bruin, and after sev-  
eral minutes searching, discovered the  
tracks belonged to the boss of the  
camp.

Mr. Kocksvik of Bergen is going to  
be chief cook at Johannesson's camp  
this winter.

Prospectors from Calgary have found  
both coal and oil west of Highland.  
Now for the railroad.

We wish to call your attention to the  
fact that most infectious diseases such as  
whooping cough, diphtheria and scarlet  
fever are contracted when the child has a  
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or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry  
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any Local Agent of Dominion Lands  
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Duties—Six months residence upon  
and cultivation of the land in each of  
three years. A homesteader may live  
within nine miles of his homestead on a  
farm of at least 80 acres, on certain con-  
ditions. A habitable house is required  
in every case, except when residence is  
performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in  
good standing may pre-empt a quarter-  
section alongside his homestead. Price  
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dence in each of six years from date of  
homestead entry (including the time re-  
quired to earn homestead patent) and 50  
acres extra cultivation. The area of  
cultivation is subject to reduction in case  
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A homesteader who has exhausted his  
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CALGARY, ALBERTA, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1913

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H. E. OSMOND,  
Local Agent



## PRESENCE OF BIG BODY OF OIL PROBABLE

Report on Strike at Dingman  
Well by Department of  
Mines

"WHITE" OIL INDICATES  
BIG CRUDE DEPOSITS

Discovery is Regarded by Geo-  
logical Survey as an Im-  
portant One

The following report on the oil  
strike in the Calgary district has just  
been issued by the department of  
mines at Ottawa:

"The geological survey has received  
a sample of the oil recently struck in  
No. 1 well, of the Calgary Petroleum  
Products company, situated at Black  
Diamond, sixteen miles west of Oka-  
toos, Alta. This oil was struck at a  
depth of about 1,500 feet. It is what  
is technically known as a 'white oil,'  
being transparent and of an amber  
color. It is phenomenally light for  
a natural mineral oil having a speci-  
fic gravity of about 0.8000. Evidently  
it contains largely of gasoline.  
In fact it has been successfully used  
in the raw state in place of gasoline  
in an automobile.

"White oils are rarely found in  
quantity. They would appear to be  
the result of filtration through clay  
strata, under pressure, of the lighter  
portions of ordinary petroleum. That  
this has occurred in the present in-  
stance is made probable by the fact  
that at a higher horizon in this well  
a flow of gas of 5,000,000 feet a day,  
was struck. This gas is also pecu-  
liar in the large amount of gasoline  
it contains. It probably represents  
a further stage in the process of fil-  
tration.

"The amount of oil present has not  
yet been determined, so that the com-  
mercial value of the strike is still un-  
known. If the amount of gas en-  
countered in the higher level in any  
criterion, this may prove to be the  
exceptional case and a considerable  
quantity of oil, for a 'white oil,' be  
obtained.

An Excellent Indication  
"Whether oil is present in large  
quantities or not, the strike is of im-  
portance as the 'white oil' are usu-  
ally found only in the vicinity of  
large bodies of the ordinary petroleum.  
Thus it is an excellent indicator.

"Mr. H. B. Swinton, of the geological  
survey, who visited the well shortly  
before the strike was made, reports  
that the well is located on the section  
in which the Pierre formation, and  
that the oil was encountered in under-  
lying Belly River beds. On either  
side of the section (covering 34-  
miles) beds are exposed. Going  
eastward therefore, the covering will  
rapidly thin. Whether toward  
Belly River, according to the  
work of H. B. Swinton, of the survey,  
the discovery may indicate a num-  
ber of oil-bearing strata (Belly River  
formation) in the section and in these  
sections there are no oil-bearing strata.  
Whether the discovery is of great im-  
portance or not, it is a very interest-  
ing one, and it is a very good thing  
that the strike was made in the first  
place, as it is a very good thing  
that the strike was made in the first  
place.

THE CALGARY DAILY HERALD



## PILES.

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## THE WINDOW AT THE WHITE CAT

By Mary Roberts Rinehart

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(Continued)

Yes, there is a pruned ladder there. Now, then, he comes down these stairs, and he has a definite object. He knows of something valuable in that cubby hole over the mantel in Miss Jane's room. How does he get in? The door into the upper hall is closed and bolted, but the door into the bathroom is open. From there another door leads into the bedroom, and it has no bolt, only a key. That kind of lock is only a three minute delay or less. Now, then, Miss Matland was a light sleeper. When she awakened she was too alarmed to scream. She tried to get to the door and was intercepted. Finally she got out the way the intruder got in and ran along the hall. Every door was locked. In a frenzy she ran up the attic stairs and was captured up there. Which bears out Miss Margery's story of the footsteps back and forward.

He brings her down the stairs again, probably half dragging her. Once she catches hold of the stair rail and holds desperately to it, leaving the stain here.

But why did he bring her down? I asked. Why wouldn't he take what he was after and get away?

She probably had to get the key of the iron door. It was hidden, and time was valuable. If there was a scapegrace member of the family, for instance, who knew where the old lady kept money and who needed it badly, who knew all about the house and who—

Fleming! I exclaimed, aghast. Or even our young friend Wardrop. Hunter said quietly. He has an hour to account for. The trying to get in may have been a blind, and how do you know that what he says was stolen out of his satchel was not what he had just got from the iron box over the mantel in Miss Matland's room? One-third, Miss Margery says, when she heard the noise. One-fourth five when you heard Wardrop at the shutters. I tell you Knox, it is one of two things, either that woman is dead somewhere in this house or she ran out of the hall door just before you went downstairs, and in that case the Lord only knows where she is. If there is a room anywhere that we have not explored—

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"My mother tried — and — and spent no end of money trying to get me better but it did no good. At last a friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment and my mother used them. We applied the Cuticura Ointment to my face, head and hands and washed with the Cuticura Soap and the eczema began to disappear. Before six months had passed I was completely cured." (Signed) Miss Constance Jane, May 26, 1913.

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I am inclined to think there is, I broke in, thinking of Wardrop's face a few minutes before. And just then Wardrop joined us. He closed the door at the foot of the boxed staircase and came quietly up.

You spoke about an unused room or a secret closet, Mr. Hunter, he said, without any resentment in his tone. We have nothing so sensational as that but the old house is full of queer nooks and crannies, and perhaps in one of them we might find—He stopped and gulped. Whatever Hunter might think, whatever I might have against Harry Wardrop, I determined then that he had nothing to do with little Miss Matland's strange disappearance.

The first place we explored was a closed and walled in wine cellar long unused and to which access was gained by a small window in the stone foundation of the house. We moved every trunk in the storeroom. The grounds had been gone over inch by inch without affording any clue and now the three of us faced one another. The day was almost gone, and we were exactly where we started. Hunter had sent men through the town and the adjacent countryside, but no word had come from them. Miss Letitia had at last succumbed to the suspense and gone to bed, where she lay quietly enough, as is the way with the old, but so mild that she was alarming.

At 5 o'clock Hawes called me up from the office and almost tearfully implored me to come back and attend to my business. When I said it was impossible I could hear him groan. Hawes is of the opinion that by keeping magazines in my waiting room and by persuading me to the extravagance of Turkish rugs he has built up my practice to its present flourishing state. When I left the telephone Hunter was preparing to go back to town and Wardrop was walking up and down the hall. Suddenly Wardrop stopped his uneasy promenade and hailed the detective.

By George, he exclaimed, I forgot to show you the closet under the attic stairs!

## CHAPTER VI Concerning Margery

Wardrop showed us the panel in the hall, which slid to one side when he pushed a bolt under a carpet. The blackness of the closet was horrible in its suggestiveness to me. I stepped back while Hunter struck a match and looked in.

The closet was empty.

Better not go in, Wardrop said. It hasn't been used for years and it is black with dust. I found it myself and showed it to Miss Jane. I don't believe Miss Letitia knows it is here. It hasn't been used for years! reflected Hunter. I suppose it has been some time since you were in here, Mr. Wardrop?

Several years, Wardrop replied carelessly. I used to keep contraband here in my college days, cigarettes and that sort of thing. I haven't been in it since then.

Hunter took his foot off a small object that lay on the floor.

Here is the fountain pen you lost this morning, Mr. Wardrop, he said quietly.

When Hunter had finally gone at 6 o'clock, summoned to town on urgent business, we were very nearly where we had been before he came. He could only give us theories, and after all, what we wanted was fact—and Miss Jane.

Why had Wardrop lied about so small a matter as his fountain pen? The closet was empty. What object could he have had in saying he had not been in it for years? I found that my belief in his sincerity of the night before was going.

It would have been easy enough for him to rob himself, and if he had an eye for the theatrical, to work out just some such plot. It was even possible that he had hidden for a few hours in the secret closet the contents of the Russian leather bag. But whatever Wardrop might or might not be, he gave me little chance to find out, for he left the house before Hunter did that afternoon, and it was later, and under strange circumstances that I met him again.

Hunter had not told me what was on the paper he had picked out of the basket in Miss Jane's room, and I knew he was as much puzzled as I at the scrap in the little cupboard with eleven twenty-two on it. It occurred to me that it might mean the twenty-

second day of the eleventh month, perhaps something that had happened on some momentous, long buried 22d of November. But this was May, and the finding of two slips bearing the same number was too unusual.

After Hunter left I went back to the closet under the upper stairs and with some difficulty got the panel open again. The space inside, perhaps eight feet high at one end and four at the other was empty. There was a row of hooks, as if at some time clothing had been hung there and a flat shelf at one end, gray with dust.

I struck another match and examined the shelf. On a surface were numerous scratches in the dust layer, but at one end, marked out as if drawn on a blackboard, was a rectangular outline, apparently that of a smallish box and fresh.

My match burned my fingers and I dropped it. The last flash showed me on the floor of the closet and wedged between two boards a small white globe. It did not need another match to tell me it was a pearl.

I dug it out carefully and took it to my room. In the daylight there I recognized it as an unstrung pearl of fair size and considerable value. There could hardly be a doubt that I had stumbled on one of the stolen gems. If Wardrop took the pearls, I kept repeating, who took Miss Jane? (To be Continued)

Either the husband or wife generally looks and five years after marriage—or perhaps both.

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Now, little boys, said a Sunday school teacher as she beamed at the little faces before her, what lesson can we learn from the busy bee?

I know, said Tommy.

Yes, Tommy, said the kindly faced young woman, and what is it?

Promptly said Tommy: Not to get stung.

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Making Him Work Policeman—Can't you walk? Inebriate—Shamefully, but you are paid a salary for —hic—dragging me!



# How It Was Answered

The Prayer of a Lonely Woman

By LILLIAN WARTZ

Mrs. Tompkins, rocking in the shade of her vine wreathed porch, peered down the short length of the street. "An automobile in front of Pike's," she murmured bitterly. "I expect it's her brother-in-law from Marlin. He's in the business. I declare it ain't right, it ain't fair!" Her black eyes snapped angrily as she drew back and pilled her crochet needle.

"Honk, honk!" sounded defiantly, and a small motorcar turned into Willow street and stopped in front of Mrs. Tompkins' house.

She arose, and an expectant light came into her eyes. Was it possible that she was to have "automobile company" at last? Thus far she was the only resident on the street who could not boast an acquaintance who owned a motorcar.

As she reached the head of the steps a becaped and begoggled head was thrust from under the top, and a man asked quickly:

"Does Mrs. Mills live here?"

Amelia Tompkins drew herself up stiffly.

"Next house," she said grimly, and a dull flush reddened her cheeks as she went back to her chair.

"You might have known it was for me," tossed Susie Mills across the space that separated the two houses as she came around from the side door to greet her visitor.

Amelia Tompkins made no reply as she rolled up a length of crocheted lace and tucked it in her workbasket. Her lips were set grimly as she gathered



she was leaning eagerly forward now up workbasket and the weekly newspaper and went into the house, carefully latching the screen door behind her.

Her movements were very deliberate. She went through the house and set the teakettle on the stove; then she went upstairs to her bedroom and locked the door. After that she knelt down beside her bed and prayed with real anguish of soul.

Her neighbors in Willow street might have been horrified if they had heard the prayer of Amelia Tompkins. Undoubtedly they would have called her worldly, for she prayed earnestly that the Lord would send her "automobile company."

There were six houses in Willow street, and the only house that knew no automobile company was the white cottage of Amelia Tompkins. It stood at the end of the little blind street and faced all the others, three on a side.

Not one of Amelia's kind hearted neighbors realized how the lonely widow longed for the flash of big lamps before her gate on a summer evening and the gay summons of a motor horn. So many times had she run to door or window at the sound only to see the much desired vehicle pause at the gate of one or another of her more fortunate neighbors. She was glad when night closed down and she could retire to her room, undisturbed by honkings or brilliant flashes of lanterns.

One might say that Amelia Tompkins was foolish, but who can blame her? She was one of a small com-

munity. Willow street was a little settlement by itself. Everybody owned his own home, and all attended the same church. Beyond Willow street the city went its own way. To the Widow Tompkins Willow street was life.

And life was very dull without automobile company.

One morning she stood on the front porch watering her hanging baskets. Amelia was fond of flowers, and her little place was a perfect bower of beauty.

"You're looking kinder peaked, Amelia," called Susie Mills, whipping around the corner of the house, very trig in her green veil and brown duster. "What you need is a good spin into the country."

Amelia's pale cheeks flushed, and she looked really pretty. She had a certain plump prettiness that had been much admired when she was a girl. Since her husband had died Amelia had clung tenaciously to black and white gowns, which were not at all becoming. Wearing the right sort of clothes, Amelia would have regained much of her youthful prettiness. She was lonely, and she was sad, and she seldom found cause to smile, which is very sad when one is only forty-five and a comely widow.

"A little spin in the country is what you need, Amelia," repeated Susie, hanging over the gate expectantly.

"I s'pose that's what you're going to take," said Amelia, with what grace she could muster.

"Oh, yes! Fred's going over to Winslow and said he would take me along."

"In the yeast wagon?" flew off the end of Amelia's tongue.

Mrs. Mills turned sharply.

"Yeast automobile is better than walking," she said loftily.

Amelia agitatedly snipped off an unoffending lobelia blossom.

"It's too hot even to walk," she retorted. "I'm going to have a car myself," she said impulsively.

"Humph!" sniffed Susie Mills. "I guess it's coming now," she added sarcastically.

There came a honk from the end of the street, and a large motorcar turned from the avenue into Willow street and came unerringly up to the little white cottage. As it wheeled about and came puffing to a standstill the solitary occupant stepped to the ground and shook out his long linen duster.

Susie Mills was agog.

"You looking for me?" she chirruped. "I'm Mrs. Mills."

The man smiled pleasantly. "I am looking for Mrs. Tompkins," he informed her, his hand on Amelia's front gate.

"Oh!" cried Mrs. Mills enviously, and she was enraged because the yeast car came noisily up the street just then and bore her away. She could not see the meeting between Amelia Tompkins and the man in the beautiful car.

As for the other motor enthusiasts of Willow street, every man, woman and child found imperative business near the respective front gates.

The stranger pushed open Mrs. Tompkins' front gate and in three long strides had reached the front porch.

Amelia, outwardly calm, but inwardly exulting at this answer to prayer, came forward, tall and rather graceful and very attractive in the uncertain light.

"Mrs. Tompkins?" asked the man courteously.

"Yes," said Amelia. "Won't you sit down?"

"Thank you." He placed a chair for Amelia and sat down on a blackery chair. He laid his motor cap beside him, and Amelia noted with a faint stirring of her pulses that his forehead was very nice and it was too bad that his cap had left a red crease there.

It was rather a familiar looking face to her. The way the brown hair was brushed up and back reminded her of some one. The memory was a painful one for Amelia, for it aroused the one grief of her girlhood. She wondered what this man wanted. To sell something, of course.

"I am afraid that you will think I am impertinent, Mrs. Tompkins," he said, rapping the edge of his cap against the seat and looking at her rather doubtfully, "but I couldn't help coming. I've been wanting to for some time—in fact, ever since—well, since you were free."

Amelia leaned back in the rocker and panted a little. She felt that something very unusual was about to happen in her quiet, uneventful life. Such things happened in books, but she was speaking again. "It's twenty years since we met, Amelia. I don't wonder you've forgotten me," he blurted forth at last.

Forgotten him?

Amelia leaned forward, her heart in her blue eyes. Could any girl forget her first lover? Could any woman forget the man she had loved and whom her parents had bade her cast off for another and more advantageous match? If such things could be forgotten then Amelia Tompkins could forget Ralph Blake.

"Oh!" she cried sharply. And after a few moments she cried again, "Oh, Ralph!"

He was leaning eagerly forward now, a good looking middle aged man with boyish eyes and a general air of prosperity that seemed out of place upon a man whom Amelia had known only as a shy country youth.

"Amelia, I've waited and waited, and I can't forget you!" he said tensely. "It will take some time for you to pick up the threads after all these years of separation, but I've never changed. I feel just the same as I did that night when—I told you!" he ended in a whisper.

"Ralph, Ralph!" she cried, with a shaking voice, and so the intervening years vanished with the warm breath of true love, and their hands met and afterward their patient lips.

So "automobile company" came to Amelia Tompkins in a strange way. It came in direct answer to prayer, so Amelia firmly believes, and, while Ralph Blake is in the automobile business and owns many cars, somehow, for Amelia, automobile company has resolved itself into one meaning.

That is the daily homecoming of Amelia's husband.

And I may add that the Blakes are generous, and all of Willow street revels in countless automobile excursions.

## Cool Clothes.

Cool garments are those which favor the dissipation of the heat of the body, for the warmth felt by the wearer of the garment proceeds not so much from the garment itself as from the wearer.

Wool is warm, because it is a worse conductor of heat from the body than other materials, while fur is the worst conductor of all.

Silk is cooler than either cotton or linen, for it favors conduction of heat from the body better than any other material.

Bleached fabrics are cooler than unbleached ones. In summer and winter all clothes should fit sufficiently loose to give the limbs and respiratory organs their full freedom.

Color should also play an important part in the choice of our clothing for the seasons. White is the ideal color for summer, because it is one that absorbs the least heat, while, on the other hand, black or dark-colored garments attract the rays and absorb a large amount of heat—hence their usefulness for winter wear.

## Fish Preserved Without Ice.

Professor Alexander Danilevsky, a Russian scientist, claims to have discovered a new process for preserving fish. Before a recent invitation luncheon was eaten, the guests saw fourteen days' old fish in glass jars, immersed in a liquid which is the professor's special preparation. The fish were then taken out of the jars, and the guests saw them cooked and afterward ate them. The fish had been sealed up in the presence of impartial witnesses. Prof. Danilevsky claims by his method to keep fish fresh for as long as three weeks or a month. He also has a process by which he can keep fish in jars for two years, and they will still be thoroughly pure and eatable. The professor worked for fifteen years before he brought his experiments to a successful issue. He asserts that his invention will revolutionize the fishing industry.

## Love—and What Then?

Enraptured, they gazed, hand in hand, upon the beautiful scene stretched before them in the setting sun. 'Twas the Lake District, and they but three days upon their honeymoon.

"Dearest," he said, gazing at her fondly, "isn't this heavenly?"

"Yes, Reginald," she softly murmured.

"Do you know," he whispered ardently, "to me life does not seem long enough for our happiness. Just think, even if we are fortunate, our married life can hardly last longer than fifty years."

"Is that all?" she queried wonderingly, edging nearer.

"Yes, that's so," a touch of sadness in his voice. "Only fifty years in which to love each other."

"Then kiss me quick, Reginald," she exclaimed, "we're wasting time!"

## Poor Cricket.

The fielding of the home team was wretched to the extreme. Catch after catch was "battered" with aggravating persistence, and the professional, who bowled mainly for "spooners," was fast losing his temper and patience. Eventually the visitors' captain, who was having a lengthy innings, thanks to numerous "lives," put the ball into the hands of a young amateur at slip. But again the fielding was at fault. The professional glared, the fieldman blushed and muttered apologetically something about an epidemic.

"Epidemic, be blowed!" exclaimed the bowler angrily. "It can't be an epidemic when it ain't catchin'!"

## Apply the Rule.

"If a man were to sit on your new hat, what would you say, Claude?" "I should call him a confounded silly fool."

"Then don't sit on it any longer, there's a dear boy."

The strike of 160 children at Haslington Council School, Crewe, Eng., organized because the education authority had removed the headmaster to another school, has now ended. The education authority declined to recede from their position, and after remaining away for a fortnight many of the children have returned to school. The parents of forty-two children, however, have transferred them to a church school.

## TESTING TORPEDOS.

### New Deadly Little Weapons Have a Trial Trip.

Torpedo running or torpedo testing as the operation may well be called, is a most fascinating process to watch.

Torpedoes as everybody knows, are fired from a tube on board ship, and travel on or under the water by means of propellers worked by compressed air stored in a chamber inside the torpedo.

They are tested to see at what speed they travel, and whether their course is true, and whether they answer to the setting of their machinery before leaving the ship.

Stand on the cliff known as Bine-leaves, over looking the famous Portland Harbor, and there within view are two of the most famous torpedo-ranges in England.

A torpedo-range at every 500 yards is marked by a raft, securely moored and floating barrels. On every raft stands a man with a red flag. He is known as a torpedo-marker, and his duty is to signal the exact second the submerged torpedo passes beneath his raft.

### The Secrets Carefully Guarded.

So fearful are the Admiralty of other powers, especially our German rivals, learning the secrets of these deadly weapons of war, that no outsiders are ever allowed on the rafts or within the range building when torpedo running is taking place.

The red flag waving gaily in the morning's easterly breeze tells the on-looker that torpedoes are being tested; and rocking idly on the quivering waters are a couple of piquet boats, whose duty is to bring back the torpedo when its trial run is ended.

The ear-piercing hoot of a powerful steam siren breaks the stillness, and warns the markers to be on the lookout. Armed with powerful binoculars, you can easily distinguish the men standing on their rafts flag in hand.

Suddenly from the building a silvery fish-like form hurls itself into the sea. So cleverly moving weapon of destruction, that the same depth beneath the surface of the water can be maintained by the torpedo throughout the length of its rapid course. For testing purposes this is usually fixed at 8 feet, at which depth the torpedo can be easily distinguished cleaving its way beneath the water.

Within the building overlooking the range of keen-eyed clerks stands peering through the powerful telescope; whilst at his side an accurate card. On this he enters the exact second at which each marker drops his flag; thus marking the precise time the torpedo passes each successive raft.

### Dangers Which Beseet Markers.

Torpedo marking is an operation which is full of danger to the markers. The ingenious implements of destruction sometimes run amok in spite of every precaution. A marker at the Blank range was recently watching an oncoming torpedo.

Within a few yards of his raft the torpedo head emerged from the water, and before the astonished marker could move the weapon appeared to take a flying leap at the raft. It clenched it as by a miracle, and plunged into the water on the other side. So near did the flying mass of steel pass the man, that his flag struck its nose as it passed him, whilst its whirling propeller missed his head by inches only.

The raft, although securely moored and containing a small hut provided with both seats and fireplace, are by no means a comfortable or safe place in a storm.

Costing from \$3,000 to \$5,000, torpedoes are too expensive to be allowed to be lost. Oftentimes a torpedo for some unaccountable cause takes a sudden plunge downward and buries its nose in the mud at the bottom of the sea. To recover an embedded torpedo, recourse has to be made to the services of skilled divers, and this operation is also not free from peril.

### Not Likely.

Mrs. Johnson was all excitement; her husband was a Gordon Highlander, and she had received an invitation to visit him in barracks in Scotland.

"You'll soon seeaddy now," she said to her six-year-old little daughter, as the express bore them to their destination.

On arrival at the barracks, Mrs. Johnson was informed that her husband was on sentry duty, and one of the soldiers pointed him out to her, but, of course, they could not approach him.

The child eyed her daddy with big round eyes full of wonder, as he paced up and down the square, rifle on shoulder, in his regimental kilt.

"There, that's daddy," cried the mother.

Momentarily the child was too lost in this amazing spectacle to answer. But at last it came out.

"Mamma," she said in a childish treble, but with a strictly confidential air, "if daddy finds the man who stole his trousers, will he give me that liddle frock?"

The Calcutta prisoner, who picked the pockets of his police captors and then left them on a moving train, forgot something. He might have taken the train and the policemen too.

All the diggers who are upturning cities thousands of years old report finding records of complaints of the highest cost of living. It began with the beginning and will continue to the end.

Nine-sixths of a jury may hereafter bring a verdict in a civil case in Minnesota. The one reasonable juror and the eleven obstinate ones can no longer hang up decisions there. It is worth trying in other states.

## Good form

### On the Steamer.

There is just as surely an etiquette for a steamship as for a drawing room, and for the benefit of readers who contemplate a trip on the water some of the formalities on board ship will be talked about.

After finding the location of your room and receiving the room key from the purser you should investigate your baggage, and if any be missing the cabin steward will direct you to the official to whom complaints can be made. It is wise to find out any little "landmarks" that will help you in locating your cabin, thus preventing mistakes and facilitating journeys to and from your room.

The next thing to do is to secure your seat at the dining table. You will be given a check, generally, which will place you in the dining room. This is given to the head steward on your first meal, and unless changed you should take the same seat at all subsequent meals.

Your deck chair is also important if you intend to profit by a rest each day. The deck steward for a stated fee will seat you and mark your chair by a card with your name written on it. It is unparadonable to use another person's chair regularly, for nothing is so embarrassing to the rightful occupant as to find a chair filled and to be compelled to evict the man or woman who should have one of his own.

At table it is quite correct to speak to the ones seated near you. A "good evening" or "good morning" serves to break the ice. It is also permissible to speak to one's fellow passengers after the first day. It is very convenient to have some one introduce other men and women, but there is an informality on shipboard that bridges many gaps. Above all, do not overstep the bounds of good breeding. Do not bring on yourself the censure and adverse criticism of others.

Do not indulge in gossip, unkind criticism of others and be a nuisance by complaining against the accommodations and service. This type of traveler is never a favorite, and the punishment falls on his own head by the flight of others at his approach.

On the majority of lines it is not yet the accepted thing for a woman to go to the smoking room with a man to enjoy her after dinner coffee. The German steamers have shown a departure from this rule if the woman be married, in a party or with an older chaperon.

It is not obligatory to subscribe to the sea concert, but nearly every one does. Indeed, it is counted in with your "extra expenses" these days. If talented you should be a gracious contributor when asked.

### Relieved.

A well known scientist was lecturing on the sun's heat and in the course of his remarks said:

"It is an established fact that the sun is gradually but surely losing its heat, and in the course of some 70,000,000 years it will be exhausted. Consequently this world of ours will be dead and, like the moon, unable to support any form of life."

At this juncture a member of his audience rose in an excited manner and said:

"Pardon me, professor, but how many years did you say it would be before this calamity overtakes us?"

The Professor—Seventy million sir. "Thank heaven!" was the reply. "I thought you said 7,000,000."—Tit-Bits.

### Hurt by a Tree.

"Did you hear about the accident to Bjinks?"

"Why, no. What happened?"

"Oh the darned fool was seriously hurt this afternoon."

"In his automobile, I suppose."

"No—that's the trouble."

"What do you mean? I know he's a reckless driver, and—"

"And you think he was hurt in his car? Well, he wasn't. He was hurt by a tree about ten feet ahead of the car. If he'd been able to stay in the car he'd never have been hurt."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Her Acquirements.

Pater-Son, does this young lady you are going to marry know how to bake, mend and clean?

Son—Certainly not. I'm proud of Mildred. She only knows how to run a seven passenger Bigniz, put on a spare tire, fix a carburetor and read a taximeter.—Chicago News.

### The Hardest Thing.

"What's the hardest thing you encounter in flying?" she queried.

"At the present stage of the game," returned the aviator, tenderly rubbing a bump, "the hardest thing we encounter is the earth."—Home Chat.



## Seasonable Goods For The Christmas Shopper

Christmas shopping must now be seriously considered. The little things that so help to make Christmas a day of joy and pleasure, toys for the children, presents for the grown-ups and good things for the table must be purchased. This store is full of Christmas goods of all kinds to meet the needs of the busy shopper, whose total outlay this year must necessarily be small.

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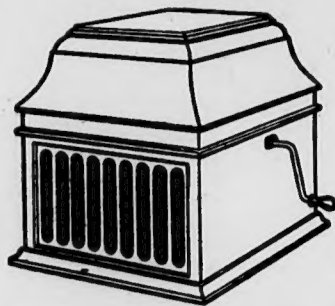
Imitation Kid Body Dolls with metal heads  
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Bring the Children in to See the Toys

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Jap Oranges in boxes, at	90c
Mixed Nuts, per lb.	20c
Ganong's Mixed Candy, per lb.	10c
Moirs Mixed Creams, per lb.	25c
Chocolates, special value, per lb.	80c
Sweet Apple Cider for mincemeat	80c a gallon

Do not put off buying your toys and other things till Christmas Eve. Come in now while our stock is complete and make your selections or telephone your orders to **PHONE NO. 22**.

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Opposite Union Bank

## Westerdale Literary Society

A meeting was called at the Westerdale church on November 21st to discuss the advisability of organizing and maintaining a literary society. Such a society was organized under the name of the "Westerdale Literary Society." The officers were elected as follows:

Honorary Pres.—Mr. A. E. Ottewill, Secretary of Department of Extension, Alberta University.

Pres.—Mr. Charles Fessenden.  
Vice-Pres.—Mr. E. Peterson.  
Sec.—Mr. K. L. Sanford.  
Treasurer—Mr. B. Morphy.

It was decided to hold meetings every Friday evening during the winter except on December 26th.

The first entertainment was given the next Friday, November 28th. The first part of the programme was taken up with music, recitations and readings. The second part was taken up by a debate on the resolution "That amusement is as necessary for the proper development of the mind as food is for the body."

A great amount of interest was aroused in the debate and also in the decision as it was given to the affirmative by only two points.

On December 5th the debate was on the resolution "That War has had more influence on history than the pen." The negative won.

The interest seems to be increasing as the speakers on December 12th gave the decidedly best debate yet heard, considering every speaker. The affirmative made their challenge by the resolve "That City Life has more advantages than Country Life." The affirmative maintained their challenge.

The society has affiliated with the University of Alberta to get assistance in their debates.

A debate is appointed on January 2nd, 1914, on the Initiative and Referendum.

Following this will come debates on Woman Suffrage and the Canadian Navy. A schedule will be drawn up to give everyone a chance to know what debates are going to take place.

It is also expected that there will be a lecture soon by Hon. Mr. J. E. Stauffer, M.P.P.

A hearty invitation is extended to the public to attend all the meetings of the society. A pleasant and profitable evening can be assured to all.

## Auction Sale

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**Monday, December 22nd**

the following, consisting of:

**HORSES**—Team of black and bay mares, 8 and 9 yrs old, in foal, wgt. 3500; Team Bay mares, 4 and 6 yrs old in foal, wgt. 3300; Team iron grey mares, 4 and 5 yrs old in foal, wgt. 3200; Bay mare, 5 yrs old, in foal, wgt. 1150; Bay gelding, wgt. 1200; Bay mare, 2 yrs old, in foal, wgt. 1100; Roan mare, saddle pony, in foal wgt. 900; 5 spring colts; Team bay mares, in foal, wgt. 3000; Dapple grey Stallion, wgt. 1750, register papers with him.

**CATTLE**—7 milk cows, 4 milking, 3 fresh in January; 12 Spring Calves.

**IMPLEMENTS, HOGS, Etc.**—McCormick binder, 8 ft. cut; 24 ft. Leaver Harrow; 16 1/2 Dis; McCormick mower; Ban wagon; McCormick hay rack; Buggy; P & O Gang Plow, 14 in. nearly new; Oliver gang plow, 14 in. nearly new; Walking plow, 14 in.; Hay breaker; McCormick 20 disc drill; Breaking plow, 16 in.; Low truck wagon; 2 hay racks; Charter Oak was 0; Parker, new, wgt. 2000 lbs.; Set 10' sleighs; Two seated surreys, nearly new; some Chickens, Orpingtons; Tools of all sorts; 2 Grindstones; 15 acres of greenfeed; 2 self feeders for hogs; 14 shoats; 17 young pigs; 13 August shoats; 9 brood sows, 5 sows pigs at foot; 2 water troughs; Tank heater; some pig troughs; 9 set work harness.

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Free Lunch at noon.

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**Friday, December 26th**

the following, consisting of:

**HORSES**—Grade stallion, 4 yrs. old, wgt. 1500 lbs., broken to work; mare 3 yrs. old, wgt. 1500 lbs.; 2 fillies rising 3 yrs. wgt. 2600 lbs., heavy stock; Filly rising 3 yrs. wgt. 1100 lbs., heavy stock; Filly, rising 2 yrs., heavy stock; grey mare, 9 yrs. old, in foal, wgt. 1100 lbs.; grey mare, 11 yrs old, wgt. 1200 lbs.; team geldings, rising 3 and 4 yrs., wgt. 2200 lbs.

**CATTLE**—8 choice dairy cows, 1 fresh in January, balance to freshen early in spring; 30 head spring calves; 62-year-old Steers.

**IMPLEMENTS**—Truck wagon and hay rack; heavy farm wagon; 2 mowers hay rake; 16 in. sulky plow; 14 in. gang plow; 2 sweeps; 14 in. cross plow; 16 in. breaking plow; hay stacker; manure spreader; 12 horse power and grinder complete; drag harrow; disc harrow; lever harrow; 2 set work harness; forks shovels; Chains, etc.

**HOGS and FOWL**—30 young brood sows; 40 shoats, weighing from 125 to 150 lbs. each; 30 hens; one dozen purebred Plymouth rock cockerels.

As Mr. Oldham has rented his farm he has decided to make a clean out sale and wishes to state that there is absolutely no reserve, and everything will be sold to highest bidder regardless of price.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock.

Lunch at Noon

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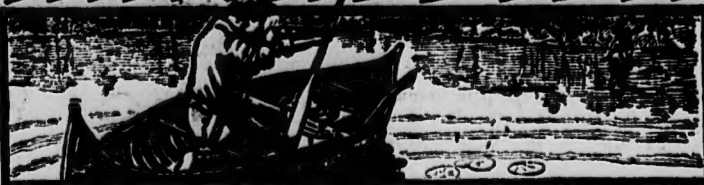
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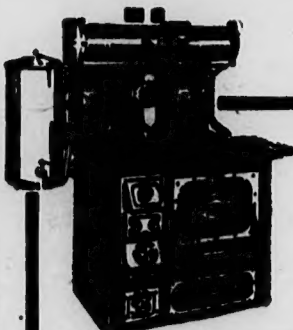
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### AROUND THE TOWN

(Continued from page 1)

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